

## Message Text

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AID/GC-MR. FRIES  
PM/SAS-MR. WINSHIP  
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TO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK PRIORITY  
AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE PRIORITY  
INFO USMISSION GENEVA  
AMCONSUL HONG KONG  
COMSCFE YOKOHAMA JA  
MSCO THAILAND  
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C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 165315

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: SREF, PFOR, TH, VS  
SUBJECT: SVN REFUGEES AND TUG SAIGON 240  
REF: A) BANGKOK 12682 (EXDIS) B) STATE 158958  
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C) MSCO TH TO COMSCE 042330Z JULY 75  
D) MSCO TH TO COMSCFE 070200Z JULY 75  
E) MSCO TH TO CAMSCFE 100930Z JULY 75

1. REFS C - E INDICATE SAIGON 240 LEFT SATTAHIP JULY 4  
WITH 34 VIETNAMESE ABOARD AND HAS NOT BEEN HEARD FROM  
SINCE. ASSUMPTION HERE IS THAT VESSEL WITH CREW AND  
PASSENGERS HAS RETURNED TO SAIGON. WOULD APPRECIATE  
INFO FROM ANY SOURCE THAT WOULD CONFIRM THIS.

2. IF IT IS CONFIRMED THAT SAIGON 240 RETURNED TO SAIGON  
WITH THE 34 VIETNAMESE WHO WANTED TO BE REPATRIATED,  
SUGGEST THIS BE CALLED TO ATTENTION OF UNHRC REP CASELLA  
BY EMBASSY VIENTIANE OR BANGKOK (DEPENDING ON CASELLA'S  
PRESENT WHEREABOUTS) FOR HIS USE IN FURTHER CONTACTS  
WITH PRG OFFICIALS (PER REF A).

3. REGRET DELAY IN PROVIDING LEGAL GUIDANCE REQUESTED  
PARA FIVE REF A, DUE TO DIFFICULTY IN LOCATING ALL  
RELEVANT DOCUMENTATION. IF TUG HAS RETURNED TO SVN WE  
ASSUME THIS INFO NO LONGER NEEDED. INGERSOLL

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